

WASHINGTON CLUBS THE PEERS OF ANY

Great Wave of Prosperity
Now Felt By Capital
Organizations.

Clubdom in Washington is enjoying a remarkable period of prosperity and progress. Every one of the four great clubs here is doing something big and important, and the time is not far distant when the Capital will have the most remarkable group of organizations of this kind boasted by any like city in the country.

It is something more than a year since the Metropolitan moved into its great new establishment, at Seventeenth and H streets, one of the finest club-houses in all the East. There was a period of trouble and travail after the building was finished and furnished. Financial embarrassments were said to be serious for a while, and then came a period when internal dissension menaced the club with schism because of developing factionalism incident to disagreements over the admission of certain applicants for membership. At one time it was announced that a new club was to be organized by the disaffected element, which would have been a most serious blow to the Metropolitan. The threat of division has been overcome, however, the differences patched up, and it is both socially and financially in much better condition than for some time.

Very Correct.

It is a tremendously dignified and correct club, in which membership is claimed by leading public men, local, and national men of high place in the professions and business world, and, of course, the leaders in the Washington commercial community.

The Army and Navy Club is a great service establishment, popular and well patronized, and one of the most interesting in the world. It is the center of army and navy politics, always a most absorbing topic to the service people, and it is prosperous to the extent that the present handsome clubhouse is regarded by many as certain to be outgrown in a few years.

The Cosmos Club is unique. It is the organization of science, literature, plain living, pure drinks—for Dr. Wiley is head of the house committee, if you please—and elevated thinking. It owns a fine property, and is about to remodel its house so as to add greatly to its size and accommodations. It is reputed the most prosperous in the city.

University Club.

The University Club is just entering on ambitious plans for a \$350,000 home, which will place it in the position of a close competitor of the Metropolitan. Its scheme is well advanced, and it is said that the project is certain to be carried out without delay.

The National Press Club, which includes journalists, correspondents, and a great many public men, has just moved to new and handsome quarters at Fifteenth and F streets, opposite the Treasury Building. It has the best located clubhouse in the city, and although only about a year old has become thoroughly established. It is planning a great entertainment for some not very distant date, for which the services of some of the greatest authors, journalists, and public men of the country have been secured.

CHURCH WILL HOLD REUNION TONIGHT

The congregation of the Hamilton Methodist Episcopal Church will hold a reunion in celebration of the close of the work of the conference year in the church parlors tonight. Miss Florence Josephine Emsworth, of New York, will recite. The program will include a number of selections by the Temple Male Quartette, of Baltimore.

The Rev. Charles E. Guthrie, pastor of the church, and the official board will receive the guests.

Swift & Company's sales of fresh beef in Washington for the week ending Saturday, March 20, averaged 7.75 cts. per lb.—Adv.

TIPPLERS IN SOCIETY HELD UP TO SCORN

Noted Specialist Paints a
Fearful Picture of Drink
Evil Among Women.

DEATH'S RIVER, RUM IS CALLED.

Dr. J. B. Quackenbos Speaks
Plainly to Church of the
Covenant Congregation.

In more than one Washington home today have there been heard echoes of the bitter arraignment of the drink evil and its influence upon women high in society, delivered to the congregation of the Church of the Covenant last night by Dr. John D. Quackenbos, fellow of the New York Academy of Medicine.

For directness and plainness of speech the address of Dr. Quackenbos, replete with fearful pictures of the results of dissipation, especially with reference to American women and young girls, probably has been unequaled in the Capital. In no uncertain terms he paid his respects to "the proud-pied woman who dips freely in the punch bowl, school misses, college girls, and debutantes," who unblushingly assert their right to drink and smoke at luncheons and levees.

The congregation addressed by Dr. Quackenbos was unusually large and was for the most part composed of women. The speaker, a member of a number of scientific and medical societies, began by designating whiskey as "death's river," setting in a relentless current toward murder, robbery, misuse of women, paresis and the asylum.

Many Women Patients.

His observations, said the doctor, were based upon thousands of cases treated by him, women being the patients in many instances.

"Especially alarming is the growth of the drink practice among women," he said. "When the American woman gives herself up to anything she pushes her devotion to the utmost limit. She makes a god of her very religion, and if she affects a habit, she affects it in the superlative degree."

"The punch-bowl figures at all social functions, and proud-pied women dip freely therein, ten drinking today where one drank a dozen years ago. School misses and college girls are conspicuously among the throng. Debutantes, not necessarily of the fast set, unblushingly assert a right to drink wine and smoke cigarettes at luncheons and levees, and not a few of this class, as well as young married women, have been brought to my office in a state of intoxication.

Must Be Straight.

"Some one has pointed out that the moral interests of the nation are in the hands of the women, but the only way by which women lead men straight is to be straight themselves.

"Our school children are becoming beer, and even wine, drinkers, especially those of foreign parentage, and the increasing prevalence of this habit is leading to a mental sluggishness, if not defect, among the pupils of the public schools, that is attracting the attention of educators and philanthropists.

"And what is it that the mass of our people are drinking? Anything and everything but pure wine, pure whiskey, pure beer. It is a poison far deadlier, and more rapid in its action than the genuine articles. This fact is ignored by the temperance reformer, and often by the physician."

There is a close relationship, Dr. Quackenbos declared, between the drink and the smoke evil. "The alcoholic thirst," he said, "is engendered and in-

TIPPLING CHARGES IN CONDENSED FORM

The punch bowl figures at all functions, and proud-pied women dip freely therein, ten drinking today where one drank a dozen years ago.

School misses and college girls are conspicuous among the throng. Girls in their teens see no impropriety in drinking publicly with men companions.

The abstinent, unobtrusive young woman of the past generation is giving place to a coarse and boisterous *bonne vivante*.

Our school children are becoming beer, and even wine, drinkers.

Many women lapse into the drink habit from the use of patent medicines containing large percentages of alcohol.

There is a direct relationship between alcohol addiction and the abuse of tobacco.

flamed by smoke. Most smokers inhale the smoke. Until the inhalation habit is disposed of alcoholism cannot be cured.

Prohibit Absinthe.

Dr. Quackenbos advocated the total prohibition of the sale of absinthe, the use of which he declared brought about the most degrading vices. Sale of liquor in prohibition territory, he thought, should be made a felony.

In conclusion Dr. Quackenbos paid his respects to the soft drinks, many of which he said contained dangerous drugs such as should only be taken on advice of a physician.

"If we expect to influence the people of this country to a purer, stronger, wiser life, we must exploit methods having in view the development of the spiritual consciousness, the logical method of improving environment and unmaking heredity," declared the New York specialist.

SAYS NAGGING WIFE IS WORST OF PESTS

Dr. Shannon, of Metropolitan
Methodist Church, Talks on
"Womanhood."

"The burning of Latimer and Ridley is hardly to be compared to the martyrdom of a man who has a wife that is always nagging and scolding."

In the fourth of his sermon series on "Womanhood," the Rev. Dr. John Reed Shannon, pastor of Metropolitan Methodist Church, last night spoke of the woman as the wife.

"A good wife," said Dr. Shannon, "continues to care for the personal charm of her face, of her mind, of her conservation after marriage as before. She doesn't attend to many clubs and receptions that her own home is a kind of a foreign missionary field for others to cultivate."

"Some men do not get on well because they are married to a nonentity, a feminine caricature of a woman, a swindle in skirts."

"So the Bible says, 'A good wife is from the Lord.' She fills one of the grandest spheres on earth."

UNIMPROVED LOT SELLS FOR \$60,000

Significant Realty Deal Is
Practically Completed,
According to Report.

For a consideration of about \$60,000, the unimproved lot on the southeast corner of Seventh and F streets northwest will be transferred during this week to a group of Washington merchants who propose to improve it at once, it is reported today.

The property fronts nearly ninety feet upon F street and extends a little less than 100 feet in the rear of the Federal office building. It is reported that a deal between the syndicate of local capitalists and the non-resident owners of the property has been practically closed, although no papers have as yet been filed. The consideration for the transfer is based upon the rate of about \$1 per square foot for the property. While it is, at present, unimproved, it is located in the center of the city, and is well adapted for the erection of a store or office building.

Real estate dealers assert that the sale of the property for the consideration received makes it one of the most significant realty transactions of the year, inasmuch as the lot has been on the market for several months, and was disposed of at practically the original amount asked. It is virtually the only unimproved lot in the business section of F street. The purchasers, it is thought, will erect an office building.

MAN IS ATTACKED WALKING IN PARK

Search is being made by the police today for the assailant of Joseph E. Dowell of 228 G street northeast, who was attacked and beaten by an unknown man in Stanton square northeast late Saturday night.

Mr. Dowell was walking through the park on his way home when a man jumped out from a clump of bushes and felled him to the ground with a blow on the head. He was unable to give the police a description of his assailant.

HONORS PORFIRIO DIAZ.

MEXICO CITY, March 22.—Emperor Nicholas has conferred the Order of the Grand Cross of Alexander Nevsky on President Diaz. The order is one of the highest within the gift of the Russian sovereign.

Superfluous Hair

Dr. Ainsworth, the Prominent
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NEGATIVE SIDE WINS.

Arguments against granting to women the right to vote won the debate last night on this question between the Co-Union and the Neodham debating societies of George Washington University. First honors were accorded to E. F. Gates on the negative and Frank E. Edgerman on the affirmative side. Edward S. Thurston, Walter C. Clephane, and Dr. Howard Lee McBain, members of the university faculty, were the judges.

MEN TAKE PLACES OF HURT HORSES

PHILADELPHIA, March 22.—Taking the place of the horses that had been injured in a collision with a baker wagon, a crowd of twenty men dragged the ambulance of the Frankford Hospital, half a mile, to that institution, probably saving the life of Joseph Cypes, aged forty, who was critically ill of typhoid fever.

TOUCHED FOR TICKET.

BUFFALO, N. Y., March 22.—Henry Jandanski, who says his home is in Philadelphia, was robbed of \$20 and a railway ticket to Philadelphia in a local depot this morning. He had the money and ticket in his suit case, which he placed beside himself on a bench. The police were notified and are working on the case. For a long time a gang of suit-case thieves has been operating in the depots and the police intend rounding up all suspects.

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Small size 49c
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24-in. Net Covered..... 39c

Puffs

4 to set for 59c
6 to set for 98c
8 to set for \$1.49
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Triangle Puffs \$2.98

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6c BLANKET BINDING, 12-yard piece; all colors..... 39c
THREE PAPERS GEM NEEDLE-POINT PINS; all sizes..... 10c
SANTARY WASH CLOTHS, Three for..... 10c
ASESTOS IRON HOLDERS, Regularly 3c. Special, 3 for..... 10c
BIAS SEAM TAPE, white cambric, all widths, Regularly 10c to 20c. Special, a piece..... 8c
SANTARY SAFETY BELTS; all sizes. Special..... 10c

WOMEN'S HOSE SUPPORTERS, four straps; all colors; 50c. Special, a pair..... 15c
SANTARY SAFETY PINS; nickel plated; all sizes; two dozen for..... 5c
3c BLACK NEEDLES, 25 to a paper; all sizes. Special, a paper..... 1c
HEAVY TUBULAR SHOELACES, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8. Regularly 25c a dozen. Special..... 10c
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